

Terms and Conditions

By registering in the races or practices organized by Stanley Residents Association Limited ("SRA") and Stanley Dragon Boat Association Limited ("SDBA"), the applicant, all participating team members, and the organization acknowledge and agree to our terms and conditions as specified below:

1. Registration

- 1.1 Applicants should complete the registration form and submit it with registration fees.
- 1.2 SRA reserves the right to refuse or discontinue the registration at any time due to disruptive behaviors during the practice period or negative impact on other participating team's practice.
- 1.3 Registration will be on a first-come, first-served basis. SRA reserves the right to release team's registration and practice sessions if payment is not received in full by due date.

2. Payment

- 2.1 The Entry Fee is non-refundable, even in the case of team withdrawal. Payment should be settled in due course when the application is submitted. Please keep a copy of your application for record.
- 2.2 The enrollment and practice booking will only be confirmed upon receipt of payment.
- 2.3 All payments must be settled 2 weeks before the start of training. Cheque payment will not be accepted 2 weeks before the race. Please arrange bank transfer to settle the payment instead.
- 2.4 For payment we accept cash, bank transfer, FPS and cheque. Please make the cheque payable to Stanley Residents Association Limited.
- 2.5 Payment proof must submit to the Association by email as a proof after settling the payment.

3. Practice Arrangement

- 3.1. All training must be made by Team Captain via email in advance. The Organizer will confirm by email.
- 3.2. Once the practice is confirmed, the team will receive a training schedule for record.
- 3.3. Once the practice schedule is confirmed, please contact the Organizer 7 working days in advance for rescheduling or cancellation requests; otherwise, no refund or reschedule would be provided. An administrative fee of HKD 500 will be incurred for such request.
- 3.4. If changing or cancellation request is made with less than 7 days' notice, the session will remain charged and no rescheduling would be provided.
- 3.5. NO TEAM SHOULD MAKE PERSONAL ARRANGEMENT WITH OR PAY OFFICIAL STEERSMAN and/or TRAINER DIRECTLY, or bypass proper booking procedure, including non-official events. Please make your payment to SRA officials during the practice if necessary.

- 3.6. During training, there must be a coach and a steersman on board. One of the positions must be an official coach or steersman.
- 3.7. Coach/ steersman registration is required should the team prefers to use either own coach or own steersman. Please contact the office for further details.
- 3.8. Every Registered Steersman can only steer for the team he/she registers for in that year as shown on the card; otherwise, the steersman qualification will be disqualified and the card will be forfeited.
- 3.9. It is the responsibility of the steersman to tie up the boat at the beach after practice.
- 3.10. Cancellation of practice due to unfavorable weather conditions, no matter decided by the Organizer or the team, there will be NO refund for Steersman, Trainer as well as boat rental.
- 3.11. Even in calm sea condition, practice should be restricted to the official racing area (i.e. 500m radius from the Main Beach) so as to avoid accidents and difficulties in rescue and monitoring. (N.B. the shortest distance from Stanley Main Beach to To Tei Wan is 2000m while to the Shark Prevention Net is about 180m.)
- 3.12. Please be punctual. Any teams returning the boat late, intentionally or otherwise, will subject to a fine of HK\$600 on each occasion.
- 3.13. Under unfavorable weather condition (especially when strong easterly wind and/or thunderstorm warning is hoisted), please call the Organizer at 2813 0564 (Monday to Friday) or WhatsApp 6160 5481 (Saturday & Sunday) before setting off to confirm whether practice still goes on or not. When Red Flag is hoisted at Stanley Dragon Boat Training Base, all boats must return to the shore and practice will be cancelled.
- 3.14. Unauthorized individuals have been found openly and unscrupulously soliciting for service at the beach during official practice hours and cause annoyance to our training teams. If such circumstance is encountered, please inform the Organizer or field-officers-in-charge for immediate actions.

4. Adverse weather conditions policy

- 4.1. As it is an outdoor activity, weather is unpredictable, and due to safety reasons, the Police may require the Organizer to finish the race before dark by combining, shortening, suspending, terminating or cancelling certain race rounds. No appeal or request of refund will be accepted if such decision is made due to such weather or per request of Police.
- 4.2. At 6:00 am, if typhoon strong wind signal no. 3 or above, and/ or red or black rainstorm warning is announced by Hong Kong Observatory, the event will be postponed to 10:00 a.m. with race schedule streamlined. If the weather does not improve at 10:00 a.m., the whole event will be cancelled.

5. Others

- 5.1. Teams are not permitted to solicit or make private arrangements for practice with official coach/ steersman employed by SRA.

- 5.2. Photographs and videos may be taken occasionally during practices and on the races. All participants agree to be photographed or taped. SRA reserves the rights to images and footages.
- 5.3. Participants grant the Organizer the right to use any photographs or videos taken during the event for official publication and promotional purposes on websites and social media platforms. All personal data and media captured will be handled in accordance with the Organizer's Privacy Policy."
- 5.4. SRA will not be held responsible for personal injuries, accidents, losses and damages incurred by participants while at SRA premises. All teams are required to sign a Liability Waiver prior to the commencement of any practices or races.
- 5.5. These terms and conditions are subject to change from time to time without prior written notice from SRA

In addition to these Terms and Conditions, participants shall be bound by all other terms issued by the Stanley Residents Association, including but not limited to the Rules & Regulations, Appendix, and terms stated on the Application Form. Participants should pay close attention to all relevant documents.

條款及細則

凡報名參加由赤柱居民會有限公司（「SRA」）及赤柱龍舟協會有限公司（「SDBA」）舉辦的賽事或練習，申請人、所有參賽隊員及所屬機構即代表知悉並同意遵守下述條款及細則：

1. 報名

- 1.1. 申請人應填妥報名表，並連同報名費一併遞交。
- 1.2. SRA 保留隨時拒絕或終止報名的權利，理由包括在練習期間的騷擾行為，或對其他參賽隊伍的練習造成負面影響。
- 1.3. 報名將按先到先得的原則處理。若未能在截止日期前收到全額付款，SRA 保留取消隊伍報名及練習時段的權利。

2. 付款

- 2.1. 參賽費一經繳付恕不退還，即使隊伍退出亦然。申請時須同時繳付相關費用。請保留申請表副本以作記錄。
- 2.2. 參賽資格及預約練習之費用收訖方可作實
- 2.3. 所有應繳費用須在賽前至少兩星期繳付。賽前兩星期內再不接受支票付款，請改以銀行轉帳付款。
- 2.4. 我們接受以現金、銀行轉帳、FPS（轉數快）及支票付款。支票抬頭請註明「Stanley Residents Association Limited」。
- 2.5. 付款項後，請必須透過電子郵件向 SRA 提交付款證明。

3. 練習安排

- 3.1. 所有練習必須由隊長經電郵預約。大會將以電郵回覆作實。
- 3.2. 練習一經確認，隊伍會收到練習時間表作紀錄。

- 3.3. 練習時間表經確定，若需更改或取消，請於 7 個工作天前通知本會，及取得本會同意方可作實，否則將不予退款或重新安排練習時間。是次改動或取消將收取 \$500 手續費。
- 3.4. 若更改練習時間或取消練習的請求少於 7 日的通知，該練習的收費將不獲退款或重新安排練習時間。
- 3.5. 所有隊伍不可私下與大會舵手及教練預約練習時間(包括非本會所舉辦之比賽或練習)，亦不可把現金交予舵手/教練。如有需要，請於練習當日將款項交予本會職員。
- 3.6. 所有練習必需同時有一位教練及一位舵手在船上，其中一位必須為本會教練或舵手。
- 3.7. 隊伍必須為其教練申請教練許可證，或為其舵手申請舵手證才能於練習及/或比賽期間為隊伍掌舵。
- 3.8. 比賽/練習時，每名已於本會註冊之舵手只能為該年度註冊時註明的該支所屬隊伍掌舵(顯示於舵手証)。違反以上規定的舵手將被取消資格。
- 3.9. 每次練習之後，舵手必需以適當之繩結把龍舟固定於岸邊。
- 3.10. 若因天氣欠佳而取消練習(無論是賽會決定或隊伍自行決定)，舵手、教練及租船費用概不發還。
- 3.11. 即使風平浪靜，只准在沙灘 500 米半徑範圍賽區內練習，免生危險及增加救援和監察之難度。(註：由赤柱正灘至土地灣距離為 2000 米，練習地點距離赤柱正灘防鯊網為 180 米)
- 3.12. 各隊伍必須合作守時。任何隊伍若交艇遲誤，不論有意與否，必須繳付港幣 600 元之罰款。
- 3.13. 若天氣欠佳(尤其強勁東風及雷暴警告)，請先致電本會 2813 0564 (星期一至五)或 WhatsApp 6160 5481 查詢練習是否取消。如本會龍舟訓練中心高掛紅旗，表示召回所有龍舟及所有練習暫停。
- 3.14. 本會曾發現有非授權人士向練習隊伍兜售服務，或聲稱可提供協助，造成滋擾。如遇上述情況，請向賽會或當值職員舉報。

4. 天氣 / 應變

- 4.1. 戶外活動，風雨難料，比賽可能因安全理由或警方指示下必須在入黑前完成而需合併、刪減、延遲、中止、取消部分或全部賽程，參賽隊不得異議。賽會亦不會因而退回相關費用。

4.2. 若天文台於賽事當日上午 6 時正懸掛三號或以上之風球、發出紅色或黑色暴雨訊號，賽事將順延至上午 10 時，賽程會相應刪減濃縮；如上午十時正天氣仍未好轉，當日比賽即告取消。

5. 其他

5.1. 各隊伍不得擅自招攬由 SRA 聘請的大會教練/舵手，或與其私下安排練習事宜。

5.2. 在練習或比賽期間，我們可能會進行不定期攝影和錄影。所有參加者均視同同意授權相關影像紀錄，SRA 將保留這些照片與影片的相關權利。

5.3. 參賽者授予 SRA 權利，可將活動期間拍攝的任何照片或影片用於官網及社交平台的官方發佈與宣傳。所有收集到的個人資料及媒體內容，將根據主辦單位的《隱私政策》進行處理。

5.4. 對於各參賽者在 SRA 場地內發生的任何人身傷害、事故、損失及損害，SRA 概不負責。所有隊伍在開始任何練習或比賽前，均須簽署參賽聲明書。

5.5. 這些條款及細則如有更改，恕不另行書面通知。

除上述條款及細則外，參與者亦須遵守赤柱居民會發佈的所有其他條款，包括但不限於規則與章則、參賽附錄以及申請表上載明的條款。參與者應密切留意所有相關文件。